# Carroll County Board of Education

### COVID-19 Data Update April 14, 2021

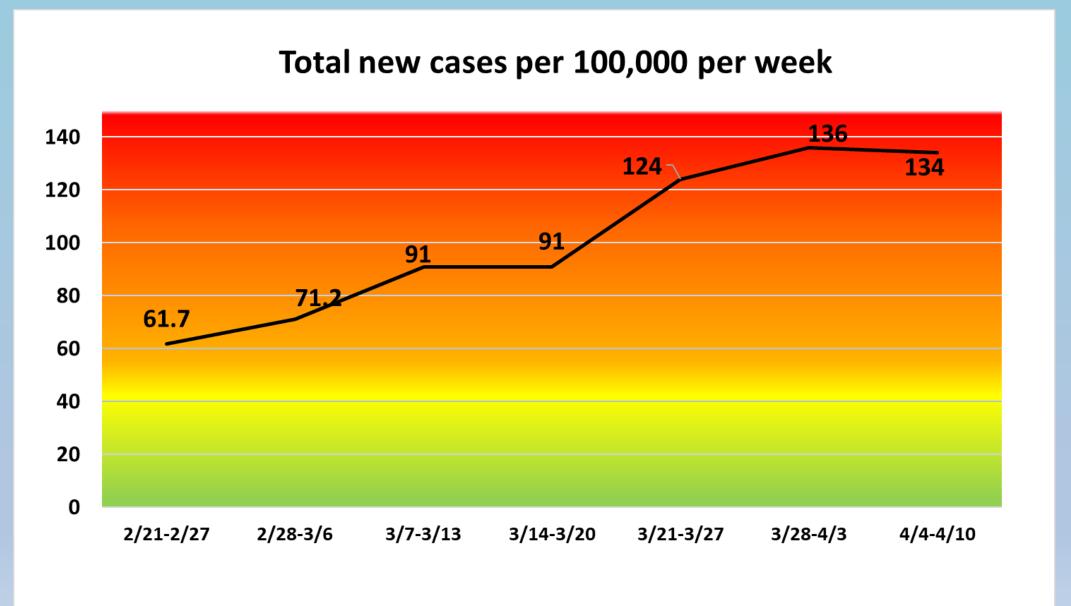
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<sup>\*</sup>Please note that this data is preliminary and subject to change.

#### Levels of community transmission as defined by the CDC:

- Total new cases per 100,000 in past 7 days: low 0-9, moderate 10-49, substantial 50-99, high >= 100
- Percent positive tests in past 7 days: low <5%, moderate 5-7.9%, substantial 8-9.9%, high >=10%



Total new cases per 100,000 this week: 134, high

Positivity rate in Carroll County:

2/21: 3.3%, low

2/28: 2.8%, low

3/7: 3.3%, low

3/14: 4.9%, low

3/23: 5.3%, moderate

3/30: 5.8%, moderate

4/5: 5.87%, moderate

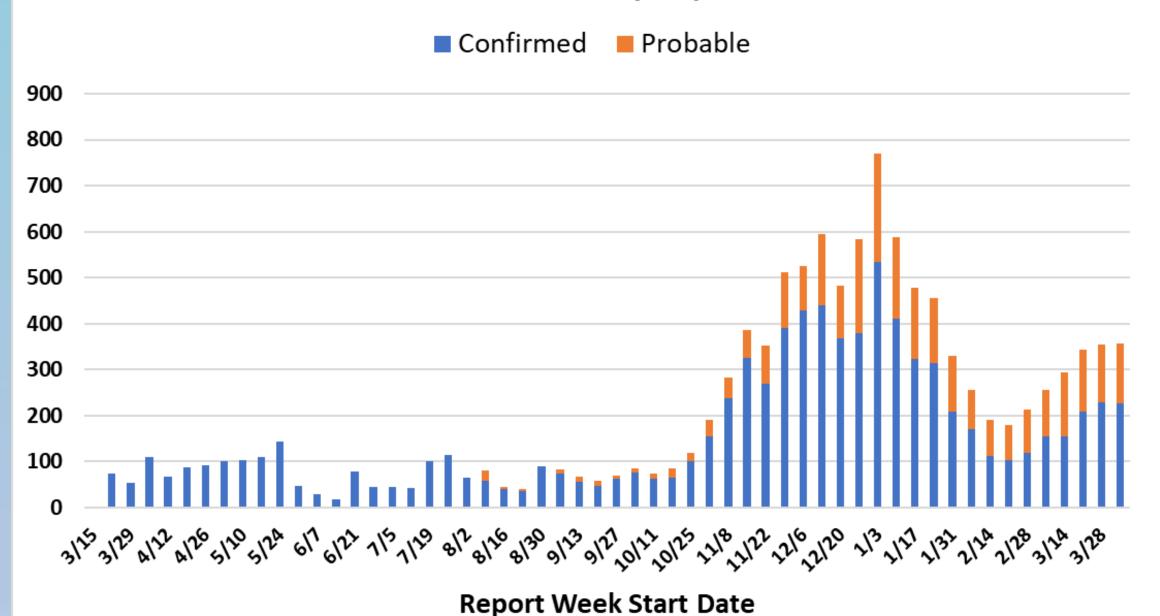
4/13 5.25%, moderate

Table 2. Recommended Prevention Strategies for K-12 Schools and

Levels of Community Transmission	Prevention Strategies by Level of Community Transmission			
Prevention Strategies: All Schools	Low Transmission <sup>1</sup> Blue	Moderate Transmission Yellow	Substantial Transmission Orange	High Transmission Red
All schools implement 5 key prevention strategies:     Universal and correct use of masks required     Physical distancing     Handwashing and respiratory etiquette     Cleaning and maintaining healthy facilities     Contact tracing in combination with isolation and quarantine	Elementary Schools Physical distancing: at least 3 feet between students in classrooms		Elementary Schools Physical distancing: at least 3 feet of distance between students in classrooms Cohorting2 recommended when possible	
	Middle and High Schools Physical distancing: at least 3 feet between students in classrooms		Middle and High Schools Physical distancing: at least 3 feet of distance between students in classrooms  Cohorting recommended when possible	Middle and High Schools Schools that can use cohorting: at least 3 feet of distance Schools that cannot use
				cohorting: at least 6 feet distance between students in classrooms <sup>2</sup>
https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019- ncov/community/schools- childcare/operation-strategy.html	Sports and extracurricular activities Sports and extracurricular activities occur with at least 6 feet of physical distance to the greatest	Sports and extracurricular activities Sports and extracurricular activities occur with at least 6 feet of physical distance required <sup>6</sup>	Sports and extracurricular activities Sports and extracurricular activities occur only if they can be held outdoors, with more than 6 feet of physical distancing	

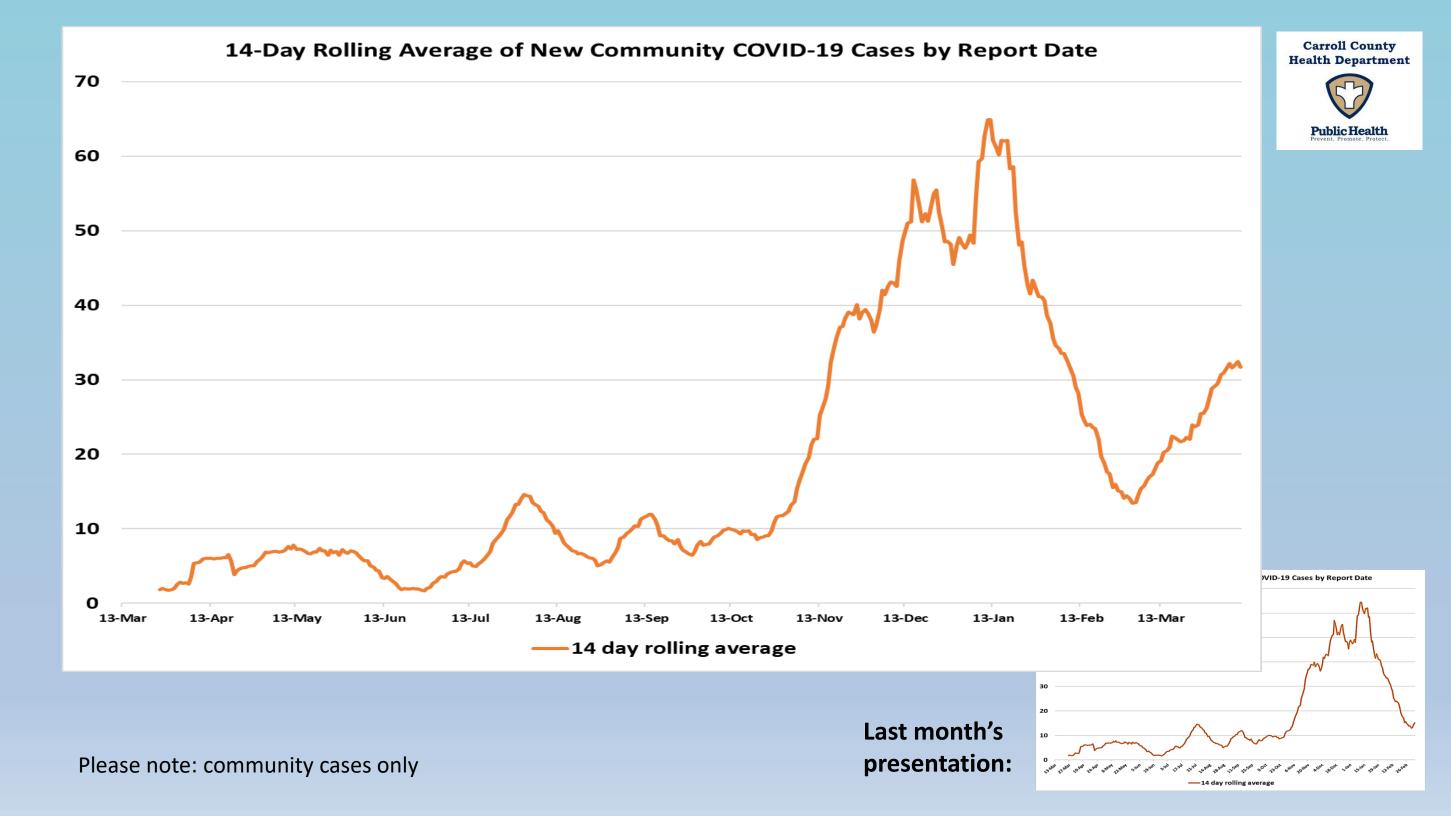
extent possible

#### All COVID-19 Cases by Report Week



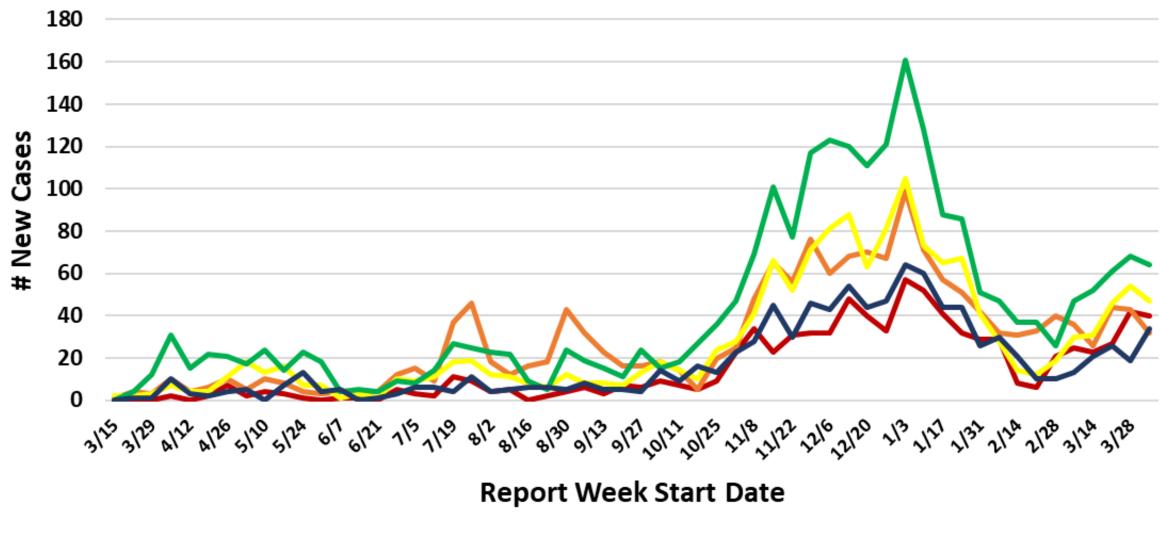
#### **Probable cases**

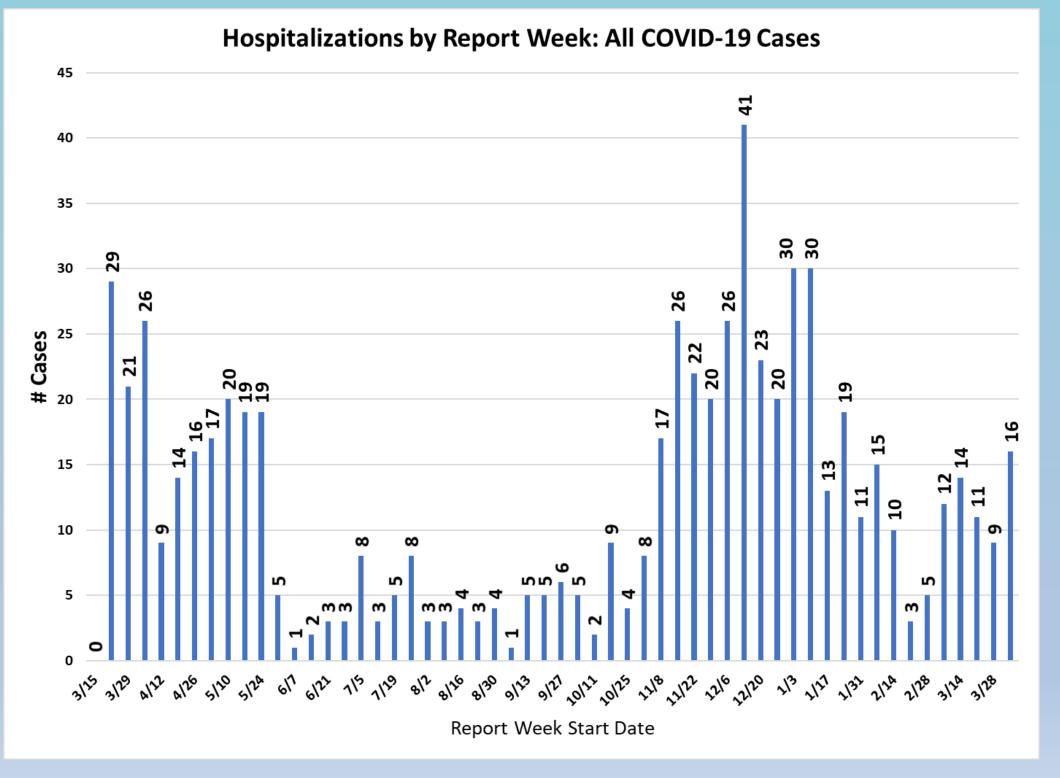
- Probable cases are those who test positive with an antigen test, not a PCR test.
- Probable cases are not included in our confirmed case totals (PCR test only).
- Cases that are confirmed with PCR tests are removed from the probable totals.





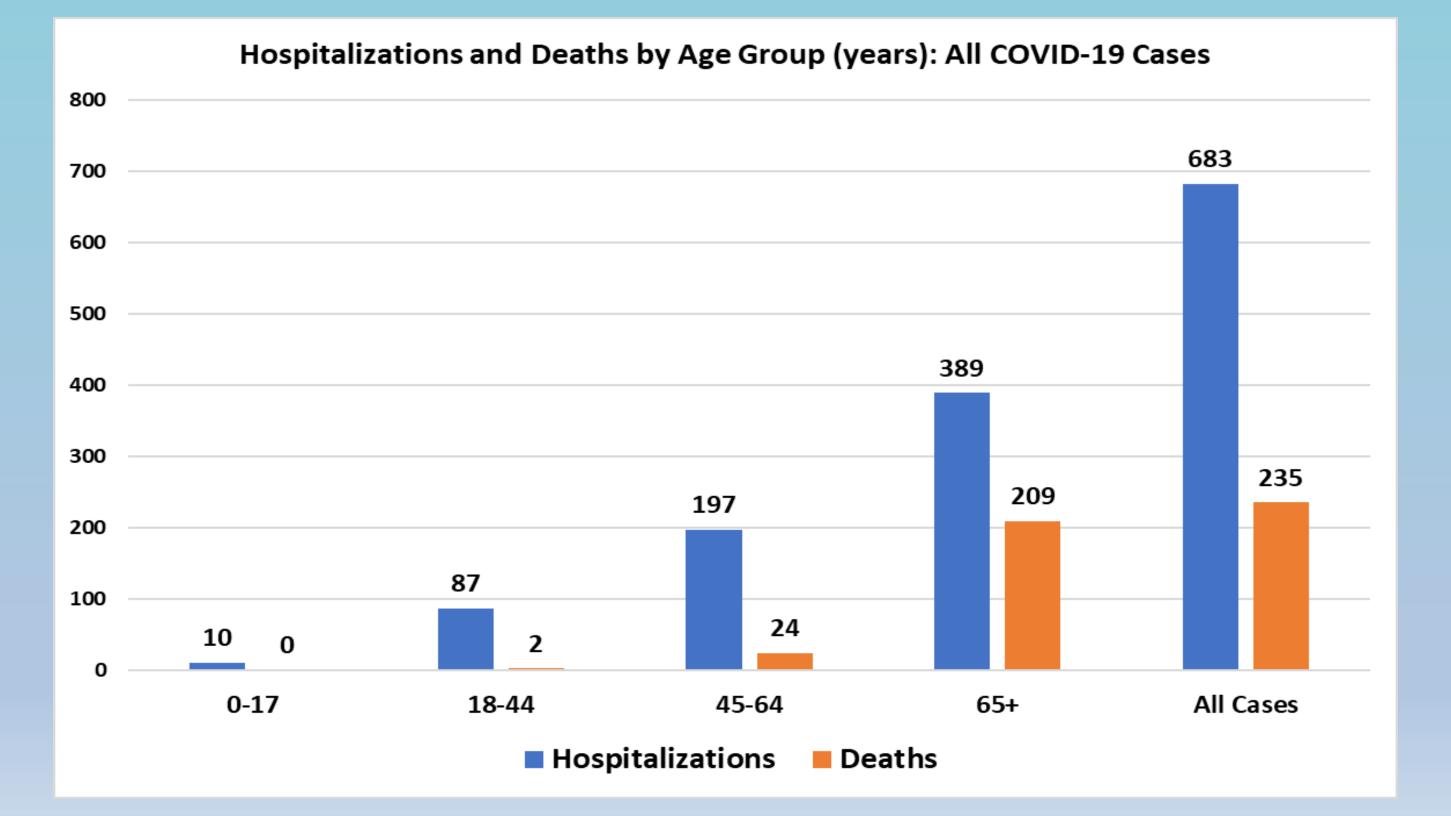


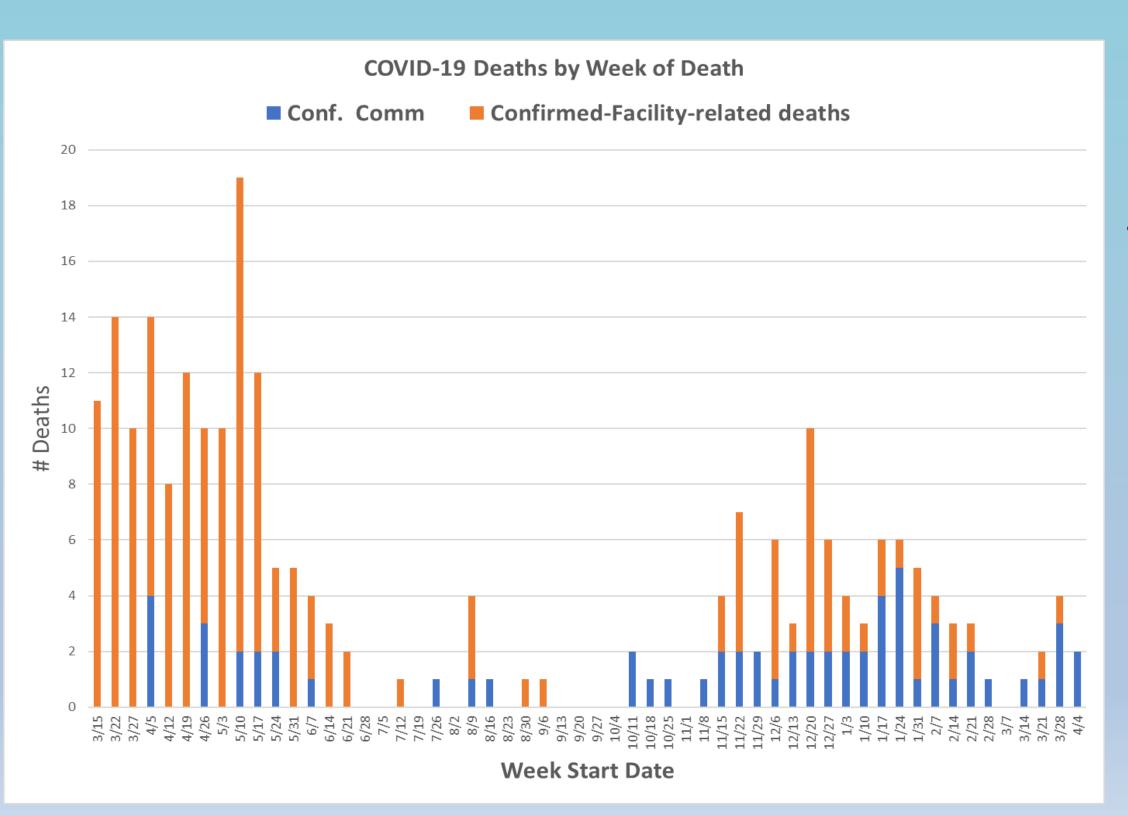




This graph shows hospitalizations by week for COVID positive Carroll County residents, in any hospital.

- Report week is the week their case was reported, which may not be the same week they were hospitalized. Only one hospitalization is noted per person.
- There is a slight data lag so recent numbers may increase.
- Additional hospital data can be found on our website: https://cchd.maryland.gov /carroll-county-md-cases/







#### Please note:

 This data does not include deaths in probable cases. WE ARE IN PHASE

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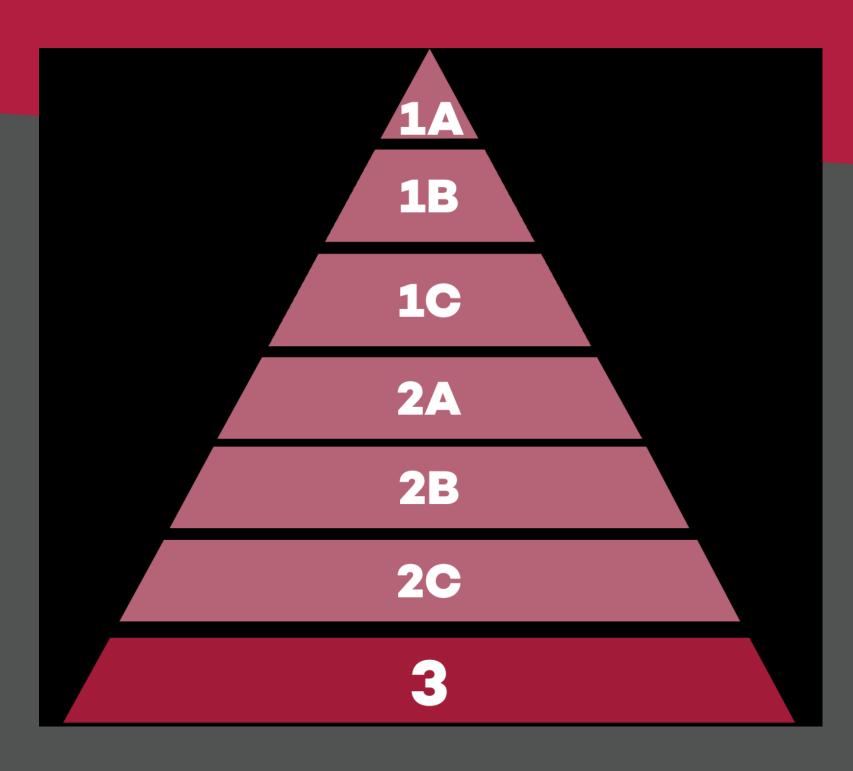
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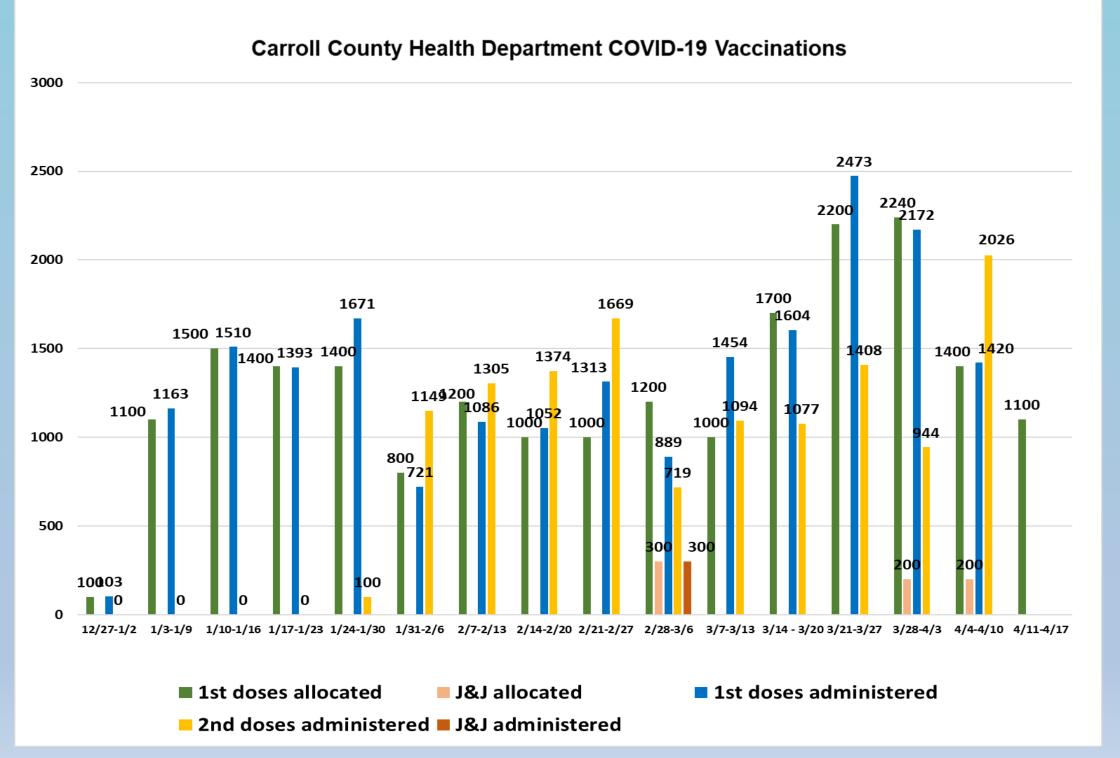
16+ ARE ELIGIBLE

TO RECEIVE THE

VACCINE

Please note: Only the Pfizer vaccine is currently approved for people age 16-17. The Health Department does not currently offer Pfizer.





CCHD:

1<sup>st</sup> doses

administered:

20,024 plus 300

single-dose J&J

2<sup>nd</sup> doses: 12,865

Carroll County residents receiving at least one dose of a COVID-19 vaccine: 65,384 (39% of total county population)

We will post links for open clinics on Thursdays when appointments are available. Visit our website for more information:

https://cchd.maryland.gov/covid-19vaccination/

Or call us at 410-876-4848

For mass vaccination site appointments and information on other options:

1-855-MD-GOVAX

https://onestop.md.gov/govax



## Questions?

